

## EAST CARROLL PARISH, LA

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	244	258	277
Acreage	210,262	194,044	196,414
Average size (acres)	862	752	709
Median size (acres)	506	N	N
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	797,024	643,117	494,043
Machinery/equip (dollars)	175,428	136,702	112,516
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	186,054	178,640	180,341
Harvested	175,093	164,802	141,513
Irrigated	52,978	39,631	31,619
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>			
(\$1,000)	62,163	52,324	41,127
(dollars avg. per farm)	254,765	202,804	148,474
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b>			
(dollars average)	70,165	33,396	29,464
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	2,631	2,954	1,152
Beef cows	D	1,628	D
Milk cows	D	3	D
Hogs and pigs	D	92	0
Sheep and lambs	0	D	0
Layers 13 wks or older	D	95	179
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	0
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Com, grain or seed	N	N	N
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Sorghum, grain or seed	5,699	8,883	3,043
Wheat	4,812	5,275	7,477
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	14,635	17,542	11,514
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	43,951	62,230	49,241
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	76,778	61,581	70,524
Dry edible beans, excl lima	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweet potatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	0	0	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	870	1,528	528
<b>Vegetables</b>			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N
<b>Orchards</b>			

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Acreage	N	N	N

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Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-W withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture